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No. 6395 ,號五十九百三千大鄉	日十三月四年軍戌緒光	HONGKUNG, FRIDAY, MAY 31st, 187	五拜禮	洋香 [Price \$2% per Month.
	ICES OF TIRMS.	AUCTIONS. GENERAL WEEKLY SALE	INTIMATIONS INTIMATIO	The state of the s
	NOTICE, N GRATTON CASS is admitted FERTCHERS: BUILDIN TO LET. N GRATTON CASS is admitted FERTCHERS: BUILDIN TO LET. T	OS, either at LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will Sell, by Incents Public Auction, in their Sales Rooms.	beg to call special attention to their ARCELS DELIVERY AGENCY. TONGKONG VOI	TNTERRS "NINGPO"
May 30, Onissa, British atr., 1,119, Briscoe, Yokohama 21st May, Mails and Gene- Amoy. 1st A	ELLES & Co. Lpril, 1878. [556 Apply to SHARP, TOLLER, AND J.	THIS DAX, the Sist May, 1978, at Noon,— OHNSON An Invoice of Monton's PRESERVES. Wa	in connection with 30 HATLEY'S GEORE EXPRESS COMPANY GENTLEMEN who have not y	
	WARD CUNNINGHAM in our Supreme Court House, kong and China CEASED on the Hongkong, 26th February, 18	PICKLES, BONBONS, Acc. An Invoice of CALWORNIAN PRESERVES, comprising BUTTER in 41b: Bottles, PICKLES	London Address MONDAY NEXT, between the Hon. C. 156, LEADENHALL STREET, D.C.; there is, and he has kindly in the hon.	MAY will swear Hongkong, 81st May, 1878. [916] atimuted that he FOR AMOY.
May 30, Wandering Jew, Amor. ship, 1,737, 31st Documber Talpey, Cardiff 31st January, Coals.— China, Marc. P. & O. S. N. Co. May 30, Wealthy Printeron, Amer. bark.		so additional COTTON SOCKS and STOCKINGS WA	Western Branch— will attend for this purpose even A PARADE IN UNIFORM THESDAY AFTERNOON TILLERY Blue Serve Smooks.	Tropsers. Ecquises, Master shortly due, will have quick
809, Blanchard, Bangkek 17th May, This Guds	Pigot: Wilks and Laurence Possession.	ER & Co. 140 BOWLING ALDER BALLS.	can thus be sent, and all Expenses con-will be issued in a couple of delivery dan be paid either. Unless otherwise ordered,	ps. Waist Balts For Freight or Passage, apply to ys. RUSSELL & Co.
Scott, Glasgow 18th January, General: ford and Batter Arnhold, Kreberd & Co. May 30, Jerr, Austrian back, 674, Antonio Hongkong	de their Bode Agents in	NOALOW Three, Four, Five, and Six Hight ORYSTAL here	PARADE on Saturdays.	ain 28th Regt., THE Dritish Steamer ot.
MELCHERS & Co. May 30; Argering, French bark, 399, Briand, THE INTE	NOTICE: Apply to AHMEDBHOY HAB IOMAS MEECER in our Firm Hongkong, 6th May, 1878.	IBBHOY. Merican Dellars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, Agent	The last time time 110	above Port on MONDAY, the 3rd June, at
May 30, Penero, British str., 652, Cain, Bangkok 22nd May, General.—Mel. Canton, 23rd	TO LET. THOMAS AND MERCER. TO LET. TO LET. TO LET. TO LET. TO MAN TERRACE. TO LET.	Possession on Hongkong, 30th May, 1878.	of the Principal Storekeepers also at the Coast Ports.	For Freight or Passage, apply to SOEY SHING.
May 30, Lombardy, British str., 1,730, J. Ormond, Shanghai 26th May, Mails and MR. JOS General.—P. & O. S. N. Co.	FPH HARMON has been ad Hongkong, 1st February 1878.	rood Road. THE Undersigned has received instructione &c. of 427 to Sell by Public Auction. in the	BEST and CHEAPEST WHOLESALE MAR- BEST and CHEAPEST WHOLESALE MAR- RIENTAL SUGAR	1 OST, a Small, White MANILA POODLE.
May 30, Lady Bowen, British bark, 892, 1st of April, 1	878. WILLIAMS & Co. Line Road, "Dindor," a the occupation of the Bonnso Co.	Godowns of ACHEW & Co., near the Gra Works,— Com	(all Trade Discounts being allowed) at a The Undersigned, having of the above Property, Plant quest that, until further notice of Carrons with reference to the	&c., have to re. WARDED if necessary. B. all. Communi. Hongkong, 31st May, 1878. [1w949]
	Hougkong, 4th May, 1878. REST and RESPONSIBILITY OF TO LET. MES POWRIE in our FIRM FIRE EASTERN HOUSE at	[756] TRRMS.—Cash before delivery. All Lots to be cleaned within 10 days from the day of lars, the Alrany, Sale.	and Five per Cent. on Orders of greater of Refinery be MADE TO THE Offices, Queen's Road, or at a misos.	m, either at their CANTON. he Refinery Pre- N. O.T. I. C. E.
May 30, FRIEDERICE, British bark, 909, Ker- mode, Bangkok 9th May, Rice.—Chi- mass. May 30, Washi, British str., 265, Hunter,	MACKENZIE & Co., BREETON. Pessession can be had Shangbai. Hongkong, lat April, 1878.	lon 1st May. Hongkong, 28th May, 1878. [935] to the	PRICE LIST, which they will be glad HONGKONG HUMAN	Society. Secretary of the Society. By Order of the Board,
Haiphong 26th May, and Heiliow 28th, R. W.	CUNNINGHAM JOHNSTON THREE OFFICES in Crun Dwelling House, No his Day been authorized to SIGN TERRACE; Possession from 15th A	CHAMBERS. CHAMBERS. Undersigned have received instructions Ho	ward on application: OLUNTEERS are earn ENROL themselves on Society, as the Typhoon Seaso more Working Members are a	the LIST of this Hongkong, 30th May, 1878. [Iw948]
& Co. May 30, Brisbane, British str., 1,700, J. A. Amoy, May	M. G. SCOTT. DOUGLAS LAPRA	TIK & Co. the let of June, 1878, at 11 o'clook A.M., at the Godowns of Messes. Davis & Ch., Wanchi, On Account of the Concerned.	Kindly send Name and Add EARY SECRETARY. Blue Serge Shirt, Helmot, a	ress to the Horo- I AVING left the Firm of Messrs. Wing ad Life Bolt sup- KEB & Co. and commenced Business on
Reddell, Sydney Sth May, Townsville 14th, and Cooktown 17th, Mails and General.—Giab, Ervingston & Co. May 30, W. E. Generale, Brit. bark, 534, W. DAVIS in	NOTICE of DRAWING ROOM, WITH BUARD, with a private family.	Address F., Bises and I inch, all more or less damaged Fo and rusty. TERMS.—Cash before delivery in Bank Notes.	ons Register (1,426 Tons Gross). Particulars, apply to the CAPTAIN, on Hongkong and Shanghai Ban Hongkong, 18th May, 1878. [1m763]	king Corporation: our Friends and the Public generally that any [2w881 Orders they may favour us with will meet with
General.—Captain. General.—Oaptain. May 30, Taiwan, German bark, 878, Jessen, will sign in li	on the Prays, Wanchi.	GODOWN mer. HUGHES AND LEGGE.	STEAM-LAUNCH, 38 feet long, by 8 WE beg to inform all the feet 6 inches beam. Very fast, with small	our prompt attention. BOB AND JACK Shipmasters and 37, Praya Central, that both BOB Hongkong, 30th May, 1878. [Jul93]
Kronstadt November, 18th, and Hebin-be carried on gar 30th December, Flour.—Armour, Btyle of DAV Karried on China, 30th	by Mr. H. W. DAVIS under the Apply to IS & Co. PURDON & Co. Hongkong, 1st March, 1877.	NT & Co. Hongkong, S1st May, 1878. [950 K.Z.	ingtion. For further particulars, Address and JACK, our late Pilots, ployment, and we do not he sponsible for any transaction. [638]	
Foochow 26th May, Amoy 28th, and MR. HER Swatow 29th, General.—D. LAPRAIR Mand his	TO BE LET. With Possussion from 31st in Teres and Responsibility of No. 3 Road Central, known as in the contract of the contr	The Medical TO MORROW.	PRIME CHICAGO HAMS and BACON Cents per lb., MESS BEEF and PORK, and Whole Barrels, Swiss CHEESE, Cali-	WING KEE sidefice from Praya East to No. 19, Holywood [6m880 Roan, where Orders may be left. Hongkong 3rd April 1878
May 30, ALBAY, British str., 366, F. Ashton, 30th ultimo; Tamsui 25th May, and Amoy 28th, MAITLAND	and Messrs. JOHN ANDREW For Particulars, apply to	ER & Co. Lor No. 20, with all the BUILDINGS creeded on	Transfer 0.04 May 1970	to "H.," care of WATCH AND CHRONOMETER
CEFARANCES AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, China, 1st M MAY 30TH.	PURDON & Co. In 826 NO. 9, QUEEN'S HOAD CEN Godowns attached.	THE GRAND HOTEL," TRAL, with which meanwhile will be carried on on account of the concerned.	WINE AND IMPORTER OF Queen's Road Central, Fo	ENTLEMEN to NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS CHARTS ate Family in the AND BOOKS.
Cheang Hock Kian, British str., for Swatow. Firm.	IN GRAEME PURDON is this No. 2, SEYMOUR TERRACE No. 2, SEYMOUR TERRACE Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SO	All the FURNITURE and EFFFCTS be longing to the same. Dept	T. R. E. N. C. J. G. O. O. D. S. G. L. Daily Press Office. to for Vichy W. Creas and Special Agent INAUD'S PERFUSIES and ANTOINE'S INES. TAL Daily Press Office. Hongkong, 6th May, 1878. TAL ANTED, a GENTLE	MAN of thorough WELLINGTON STREET, HONGKONG.
DEPARTURES. TAKE CHA	Hongkong, 21st May, 1878. RLES COLE is authorized to our Firm per precuration at CORPORATION.	BANKING Yokohamas May 4th, 1878. [859] Ge	ntlemen's Best French Boots and Shoes. AGENT for GENERAL MERCE party, formishing good English, QUEEN'S BOAD, HONGKONG.	ANDISE. To such Tiefin at One. Dinner at Half-past Seve went arrangement Wines, Spirits, &c., of the Best Quality only
Bangkok. May 30, Horseur, Brit. bark, for Bangkok. May 80, Emur, Spanish steamer, for Amoy. Foochow, 1s	PURDON & Co. PAID UP CAPITAL5,000,0 RESERVE FUND	OU OI DOMAIN.	C. P. & O. STEAMER "GEELONG." SPECIALLY SELECTED can be effected on or about In responding please mention Merchandise you may be m Address Frank W. Than	any special line of structure it to the structure it to the structure it is a struct
PASSENGERS menocd	otify that I have This Day come Chairman—F. D. Sassoon Business as SHIPOHANDLER Deputy Chairman—Wm. H. Fo	Esq. SUPERIOR WINES AND SPIRITS, including —	A E S A L A W I N E S. Street, Boston, U.S.A. OLD PARTICULAR, narter Casks (equal to about 12 dezen), \$50. PENINSULAR & ORIUNATION CO	ENTAL STEAM BRITISH BARK "HYLTON CASTLE
Per Lombardy, etc., from Shanghai:————————————————————————————————————	AL STOREKEEPER under the of "Koch & Co." C. KOCH. May 8th, 1878. C. KOCH. L. Dalrymple, Esq. H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. Wilhelm R. W. S. You Hon. W. Keewick. CHIEP MANAGER.	BASS'S ALE, by CAMERON and SAUNDERS. In Comp. Esq. ALE AND PORTER in Huns, and Kulas. Tivoli, Tennant's, and Jespsey's ALES. In Q	ctaves (equal to about 6 dozen)\$30. LONDON PARTICULAR, NOTICE. uarter-Casks (about 12 dozen) \$45.	CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Vess are hereby requested to send in their Billians to the Undersigned for countersign
Mrs. Gearing, 2 children, and amah, Mrs. Cowoy, child, and amah, Mrs. Walters, 3 children, and 2 amahs, Messra. Gundry, Stratton, Collamore, R. JAN	NOTICE. Hongkong—Thomas Jacksong—Shangkong—Thomas Jacksong—Shangkong—Thomas Jacksong—Shangkong—Thomas Jacksong—Shangkong—Thomas Jacksong—Shangkong—Thomas Jacksong—Shangkong—Thomas Jacksong—Shangkong—Thomas Jacksong—Shangkong—S	ROUYER, GUILLET AND CO. 8 BRANDY. LA GRANDE MARQUE BRANDY. SACCONE'S MANZANILLA.	GEO. SMITH & Co., Agents for China, Hongkong, and Japan. CHINA WILL proceed TO LONDO	Steamers FROM Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vess
Per Latasa, str., from X okonama:	LONDON BANKERS—LONDON & C CORNABE & Co. h April, 1878. NOTICE. LONDON BANKERS—LONDON & C HONGKONG—INTEREST AL On Current Deposit Accounts 1 per cent. per Annum on the daily	LOWED. SACCONE'S 1848 PORT. at the rate of HUNT'S BLACK SEAL PORT.	FOR SALE Mails. ADAI LAS. HEIDSIECK'S CHAMPAGNE,	Expense. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents,
Messra, G. P. Cook and Shepham. Per Friederich, from Bangkok : UB. FIR.	M will from this date be carried For 3 months 2 per cent. per the Style and Title of "New-For 6 months 4 per cent. p	ST ADDUM. STADDUM. STADDUM. STADDUM. STADDUM. CURACAO, MARASCHINO, and CHAR.	Hongkong, 13th May, 1878 19per case of 2 dozen pints. 18per case of 1 dozen quarts. TEAU LEOVILLE POYFERRE, 1869 Hongkong, 13th May, 1878 III IS IMPERIAL R JESTY'S CONS	USSIAN MA. STEAMSHIP "YANGISE."
2 Chinese. Per Penedo, str., from Bangkok — Foochow, la 37 Chinese.	NEWMAN & Co. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNT CHEDITS granted on approved S NOTIFICATION. NOTIFICATION. PORTIFICATION AND CO. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNT CHEDITS granted on approved S every description of Banking at	BOKER'S, STCELES', ANGOSTURA, and ORANGE BITTERS. CHAMPAGNE, HEIDSTEOK WHITE SEAL	"VIN DES PRINCES." B18per case of 1 dozen quarts. PALMER MARGAUX. NOTICE.	NOTICE. NOTICE. YOUSIGNEES of Cargo par Steams!
From Sydney.—Mr. James Burns. From North Formos	business transacted. DRAFTS granted on London, a CSS at Tament and KELUNG in commercial places in Europe, Ind a, under the style or firm of "Dodd America, China and Japan.	and the chief CHAMPAGNE, POMMEROY AND GRENO. CHAMPAGNE, ROEDEBER, CARTE BLANCHE, and CARTE NOIE.	CHATEAU BELAIR. TRANCE of the Pour of W	coby notified that in the shadood at the EN from London, in connection with the absolute story (in Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goratorn Siberia), and are being landed and stored at their risk at the
Sydney and Intermediate Ports.—225 Chinese. & Co." Per Varuna, from Bangkok .— 2 Chinese. Per Albay, str., from Tansul, &c. :— Tamsui, 17t	JOHN DODD. A April, 1878. [687] NOTICE. T. JACKSON, Chic Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East, 9] Hongkong, 27th February	WHISKY, Fine Old KENTUCKY BOURSON. WHISKY, JAMIESON'S & KINAHAN'S IRISH.	LORMONT. that Vossels, previous to some per case of 1 dozen quarts. must apply on board the G stationed outside, for an Office	ntering said Port Company's Godowns, whence delivery may anreading, which is obtained immediately after landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on universe.
Messrs. Pye, Jeremiasson, and Chun Seo, and on by the Unc	of Mr. T. ALGAR will be carried CHARTERED BANK OF I. dersigned.	NDIA, AUS- SWAIN BOORD & CO.'S OLD TOM. IL NA. AVH GIN, VON HOROKEN'S. TO		M. REINERS, fore TO DAY, the 30th instant, at 10 a M. Consul. questing it to be landed here. [1m806] Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
REPORTS. The Signese bark Advance reports left Ban. All Busines as heretofore to the signese bark Advance reports left Ban.	GEORGE STAINFIELD. THE BANK OF ENGL	AND. RUM. ARATED WATERS. Hongkong, 20th May, 1878. [891]	ARRIS, GOODWIN & CO. THE STAG QUEEN'S ROAD CENT hold consignments of Under New Management, this UN METAL BOILER FITTINGS.	Establishment will to rent and landing charges.
The American bark Wealthy Pendleton reports	NOTICE. [742] THE CITY BANK OF THE NATIONAL BANK OF The Bank's Branch in Honor	SCOTLAND. BUGS, FLEAS, MOTHS, BESTLES, and all other KONG grants Threets are Destroyed by Krating's Insect.	DEES, AUGERS, CHISELS, AND - New English and American	est Quality only. Billiard Tables. Horokove 30th May 1878.
menseon throughout. The British bark Friederick reports left Bang-	MOSS in our FIRM CEASES Drafts on London and the Chie places in Europe and the East places in Europe and the East ceives for collection Bills of East conducts all kinds of Banking a	buys and re- Animals. In exterminating Beetles the success RUC Rehange: and of this Powder is extraordinary and up one need	TRY) suitable for Ships: STORER'S PAINTS AND OILS. THE POOLS, AND CUTLERY. J. COO. J. COO	TO CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARG
to port moderate S.W. monsoon. The British steamship Washi reports left	eference to the above I beg to not that I have This Day COM, on Current Accounts and on Dep 3USINESS under the Style or periods on terms which may be	in application. Ask for, and take no other than, series for fixed nexious, and fail in giving satisfaction. Sold	TERS, TRAVELLING RUGS, &c., &c. baving been entirely REFIN	nated on the Bund. HIPPING Orders must be obtained from the harbour, and the Undersigned not later than the TRD, offers every prox. for shipment per Steamer "ACHILLES
Haiphong on 26th May, and Hoihow on the 28th, Firm of D. Mand had fine weather with light S.W. monsoon. The British bark Lady Bowen reports left. Hongkong,	tesso & Co. D. MOSS. 6th May, 1878. D. MOSS. 1779 A L G A R AND C O HOUSE AND ESTATE	M P A N Y AGENTS. Hongkong and China by Mosage T & R Try.	FOR SALE. Comfort for the Travelling P W. H. HENI From	Hongkong, 29th May, 1878. SHIP "SIR HARRY PARKES," FRO
down the Gulf; and S.W. monsoon to port. The British back W. E. Gladstone reports left. MU	MARITTIMA DI NAPOLL -AND BROWN, JONES & C TUA SORRENTINA. UNDERTAKERS,	O. Sons, Arbroath. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.	RETS, at \$12,810, 37, 80, \$52, and \$41 PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTS. CRETES at \$101, 39, 881, and 381 PER PRINCES at \$101, 39, 881, and 381 PER PRINCES at \$101, 39, 881, and 381, PER	intimate to his THE above-named Vessel having arrive to visit Shane- Consignees of Cargo by her are request
Weather. the Eastern	TS in Hongkone, China, and 79 9 HOLLY WOOD RO PORTS for the above Associations. "JAPAN GAZE	OD. COAL. CH	CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTS. MPAGNE, at \$18 PER CASE OF 2 DOZEN HAI, and will be absent from April 1st to June 15th. Hongkong, 4th Morch, 187	8. [19] to send in their Hills of Lading to the Undersignature, and to take impediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel w
erly; thence to port S.W. mousoon and fine	6th May, 1878. [1m780 YOKOHAMA. NOTICE. LAVING been appointed Agreement and Scott China	COAL for Sale, ex Clodown ENT in Hong- for the Japan BA'1TLES & Co. RE	MPAGNE, at \$12 PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN OUARTS. OK, at \$81 PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTS. NDIES: *** *** and ****, at \$61, \$71, \$9. AT THE	be landed and stored at Consigness' risk and e
The German bark Ericderich reports left Bang- kok on 12th May, and had light S.W. monsoon Hongkong for	D MUSSO & Co beg to in Greette, Japan Gazette Sine that they will act as Agents in Advertisements for that Paper wints this Office.	eriptions and riongacing, let December, 101/	WACHTER'S CHAMPAGNE; SUPPLIED TO HERH. THE PRINCE OF Bookbinding in every Sty	OFFICE. Hongkong, 23rd May, 1878. [9] NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.
equally weather.	9th May, 1878. [802] Hongkong Daily Press Office. NOTICE. Hongkong, 23rd May.	THE COVEDNMENT SECTIONS THE POST	WALES, Workmen on the I \$18 PER DOZEN QUARTE. Music bound in Elegan	remises. ONSIGNEES of L & Undermentioned Ca

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Swatow, 1st May, 1878.

Hougkong and Foodhow,

Hongkong, 17th April, 1878.

let-May, 1878.

the 30th ultimo.

our Firm.

THE INTEREST of the late JOHN GUR-

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B.W. monsoon to port.

thunder and lightning.

airs and calms in the Chius Sea.

The British bark Hyllon Castle reports left Glasgow on 18th January, and had very heavy

wenther until reaching the China Sea; thence

The American ship Wandering Jew reports

left Cardiff on 31st January, and had very heavy weather crossing the Indian Ocean; then light

The British steamship Orissa reports left Yo-kohama on 21st May at midnight, and had fine weather with from S.W. winds up to 27th, then heavy rain and thick weather on the 28th, with

(EDR CONTINUATION OF BHIPPING REPORTS

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AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

LANE, OBAWFORD & Co.

Sundry Goods

J. M. ARMSTRONG

At noon

CONSIGNEES of t a Undermentioned Car-go are hereby in rmed that unless the same be taken delivery of within one month from this data it will be sold to pay expenses.

Ex " ARGENTINO," 30th April, 1877, M., 10 Er " ELGIN," 26th May, 1877, W. S. (in diamond), 8 Cases, and D. B. & Co. (in diamond), JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

7. Queen's Road, Hongkong, 6th, May, 1878. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

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ES at Current Rates.

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THE Undersigned is prepared to Grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$50,000 on First class Risks. A Discount of Twenty per cent. (20%) upon K (in diamond), 515/24, Order, 10 cases Worthe Current Local Rates of Premis will be alseted, from London. A House of any Dimensions Completely Far- lowed upon Insurances effected with this Office. Ex" SINDH." T. G. LINSTEAD
Hong Keng, M. Dotober, 1876. L.A. 6/7, Order, 2 cases Fire Arms, from Mar-Hougkoni, 20th May, 1878

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FILE Undersigned, having become LESSEE of the "Hongkong Daily Puggs" and the Business connected therewith, will conduct the same on his own account from this date. B. CHATTERTON WILCOX. Daily Press Office.

Hongkong, 1st January, 1878.

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Editor, not for publication, but as evidence of good All letters for publication should be written on one side of the paper only.

DEATHS. At Canton, on 29th May, ARTHUE KOESELITZ, Esq. of Limbach (Sprony). On the 29th of May. Etta Maria, the infant daughter of Felix and Julia Panizra, aged 10 months



Hongrong, May 31st, 1878.

European mind as to the folly and the bad taste of bandaging the female feet as Selection. practised in China, it is open to question whether a missionary synod acted wisely or with good taste in allowing any resolution. to be brought forward on the subject. There are fashions in all lands, and one beauty in the so-called "Golden Lilies." that has already been wasted through the continued prefers a cripple to one with the use of the feet given her by nature; but then we must bear in mind that to the Chinese the fashion among tight corsets appears as idiotic and as "sinful" as bandaging children's feet apbut it soon ceases to be so and has no in- likely to prove a formidable competitor with the -medical men, entails much permanent suffer- mails and passengers, cargo being carried by the ing on those who practice it. They might regular line. Japan Times, add with much truth that the dress of civilisation, as it sets at defiance hygienic laws, and is neither beautiful nor useful. The dress of Chinese is by no means perfect or less demand. With better advices from China tion, and the tea-pot fashion of dressing the hair is both unsightly and destructive to that |don) \$2.40, and Namuangs (field) \$2.30, with a grand ornament of the sex. But the dress of Chinese women has at least the merit of not being cumbrons or unhealthy, which is some demand for the Philippines." Referring more than can be said of that of their to the freight market, they say "The demand for

European sisters.

European would not?-that the "Golden Lilies" arc disgusting malformations, reflecting discreditably on Chinese taste, and that the practice of binding the feet should be abolished. But it is neither in the province of missionaries nor foreigners to attempt a crusade against the fashion. The former will i find it highly impolitic to make an onelaught upon the fashions of the country; the latter had better first remove the beam out of their own oves before trying to make their neigh: bour's vision clearer. While it is satisfactory to find that some of the Chinese Christian pasters are opposed to the practice of bandaging the feet, it is to be feared they do the ground. He then retraced his steps, and not represent many of their countrymen. The subject was brought on for discussion at the Synod of the American Presbyterian Mission at Hangchow, when the following resolution was proposed by a native pastor: -"Whereas foot-binding is contrary to the scriptures, we exhort the churches within the bounds of the Synod to use their influence to do away with this evil practice." This was duly seconded by another pastor, and the debate was almost entirely supported by four years age he was quite mad. He then went Chinese: One of them, replying to a Mr. ZIA, said:- "Mr. Zra can easily speak against it, as he has no daughters, but not so in my case. I have two daughters and cannot control the a ghastly spectacle, her throat having been out matter. It is in the hands of my wife, and I cannot prevent, it." This was bringing the are saturated with blood and covered with hair discussion into the domain of the practical, and it seems, from what was stated further with blood and hair. The prisoner will be taken on, that there would be an insurmountable before the magistrate to day, and will be formerly objection to the abolition of the practice in. the fact that the young men of China have a proference for small-footed ladies for their wives. So long as this is the case there is small chance of any movement in the direction ofabolishing the practice of compressing the female feet meeting with success. While it. is impossible to sympathise with such a depraved taste, no one has a right to try and enforce other views upon them. It was very Synod had nothing to do with the subject; it belonged to the family and not to the Church. its own customs. With them it would be race as the Chinese. The day will come no man with the child, remained bohind

will be found on the fourth page,

A sum of \$309.32 has been already subscribed n Yokolama towards the Europice fund.

The Cerea, Mclbrek, and Kate Carnie, passe St. Helena on the 16th March from Shanghai.

The ship M Near, 1,308 tons, Captain Taylor, left Sydney on the 30th ultime for Hongkong via Nowcastle, N.S.W. The Ethiopian from Shanghai, and the Anaxi

We hear that the 28th Regiment will leave Singapore for England, in the antunm should peace continuo. The regiment will be relieved from home.

from Japan, for Loudon, were signalled of St

Catherine's Point, Isle of Wight, on the 17th

The British bark Syringa, Captain Partridge, left St. Helena, on the 13th March for New York from Amoy; andothe Hawkeebury left on the 18th March for London from Manila.

We are informed by the Agents (Mesars, Jardine, Matheson and Co.) that the stenmships Glengyle and Moray left Singapore for this on Slick O. The doceased was my mister, and the 28th instant, the former in the morning and the latter in the afternoon.

The following vessels are leading at home for Stad Amsterdam and Banian at London; and years. My husband died about seven months the China ports, since the last mail—the steamers Strailearn for Hongkong, for Shanghai, Connaught Ranger and Osaka; and Berwickshire and John Milton for Yokohama.

A Chinese boy named Chang Kap Tim, aged fifteen, was drowned on Wednesday afternoon me to go to Kowleen with her the next day. On whilst bathing off the Sailors' House wharf. Wednesday morning about five o'clock I left The mother of the deceased obtained some boats | Shek O with the deceased and my child. I did and dragged for him, and at four o'clock yester. not tell the prisoner of my intention. Some day afternoon the body was found.

The British steamer Brisbans, Captain Red give him back the money. He referred to 29th instant at ten o'clock a.m., steering South to time. I said "I have got no money for Count Andressy will attend. West. It was supposed to be the Loudoun Castle. | you." He then took out the chopper produced If it was that steamer she has made the run from under his jacket and cut my child's head, from the Red buoy at Woosung in two days The deceased then pushed him away, when he

The British bark Hylton Cantle, Captain Scott, nearly inconsible. I saw a man some distance reports having experienced very heavy weather away, and I called out "Save life, save life." throughout; and when four days out, in the The man came to me and talked with the pris-English Channel, a sea swept over the vessel oner. Before the man arrived I had taken the and washed overboard the chief officer, Mr. D. chopper from prisoner and had thrown it away Robinson, a native of Bute. Every effort was That man is not here now. His name is Chan made to rescue the unfortunate man, but with Amoo. The deceased could not proceed as she subarb on the evening of Sunday last, the 19th

the following programme at the Officers' Mess | happened and he took the prisoner away. Chan to-night, commoneing at 9.15 p.m. Whilest there can be no question in the Overture. Das Nachtlager in Granada". Kroutzer.

Ma. J. Buchanan, Bandmaster. Latest advices received from the Famine disbeing mitigated by July, and perhaps at an end by October. This of course, is only surmise, contingent upon an ample rainfall, and the posof the most prevalent and distinguishing sibility of a sufficient quantity of seed being fushions of the Central Kingdom is that of sown. So far as can be gathered from the accounts published in the Shanghal papers, the maining the feet of female children. It is un- latter has not yet been accomplished; and it i doubtedly a very perverted taste that can see seen that of the early sown wheat, a great deal

The Orester arrived here on the 11th instant, after a quick passage from Hongkong of six days, The deceased tried to run away. I caught her the Vicercy, Tartar General, Acting Governor European ladies of encasing their waists in that the O. S. S. Company are likely to run a steamer at least one a month from Hongkong to Yokohania and hence to Shanghai, by the way of the Southern ports. It is also said that in pears to us. It is true, they say, the opera- the event of the recommendations of the Indian tion of binding the feet is painful at first. Chambers of Commerce being carried out, re- the chopper produced, and the deceased ran Chiquese authorities showed some disposition, jurious effects on the system, whereas old P. and O. and that in the event of their tight-lacing, on the showing of your own tender being successful, they purpose building steamers of a high rate of speed, specially for

Messrs. Malberbe, Jullien and Co. in their European ladies generally is no credit to circular dated Bangkok 16th May, thus refer to the rice market at that port .- The arrivals of grain have been large, while prices have constantly fluctuated in consequence of the greater mand is execusive and we quote Nasnaugs (garrising tandency. All the shipments are for China, the Singapore and Java markets not permitting operations at present prices. There is tonnage is very feeble, and the large number of vessels in port have great difficulty in obtaining We are quite ready to admit—as what sane offers of twenty cents for Hongkong. Steemers are charging the same rate. For Singapore and Java there is no demand, and steamers have diffi

culty in obtaining twelve cents for the former. Another fearful murder took place yesterday afternoon about half-past four o'clock, at No. 12 Fat Hing-lane, Sey-ing-poon. The unfortunate victim is a woman named Lenng Achin, aged about thirty-two years. She was the second wife of the murderer, whose name is Chong Chak Wing, and who is a partner in the Chia Sing rice shop, No. 160; Wing Lok-street, The tragedy was committed in the cook-house, which is on the first floor. A man living at No. 20 Fat Hing-lane, hearing that a murder had been committed at No. 12, at once went to the place. and going up stairs he found the trap door looked on the inside. He then went to the next house. and upon looking down the smoke shaft to the cook-room, he saw the deceased lying upon upon reaching, the street he heard that man with some blood upon him had left the house. He then went to the West Point Police Station to report the matter. The police were quickly upon the epot, and heard that the prisoner was at No. 100, Wing Lokstreet, at which place he was apprehended When taken into custody he seemed quite unconcerned about the matter, and although he at first admitted the charge, he subsequently denied it. The house in which the crime was committed is a family house and two other famalies are living there. The neighbours say that the murderer is insone, and the to his native place in the Sun Woi district. January last he returned, having apparently recovered. About three days ago he appeared to be peculiar in his manner. The deceased presente from ear to ear, and from the appearance of her clothes - which are torn, and her shoes - which it is evident that there must have been a terrible struggle. A chopper has been found covered

remanded pending the Coroper's inquest,

An inquest was held yesterday at the cld Go-vernment Civil Hospital, before the Corener. Mr. C. V. Creagh, and a jury composed of Messrs. W. Keller, F. J. V. Jorge, and F. H. P. J. D'Almeida said-I am assistant light house-keeper at Cape D'Aguilar. On Wednesday fendant, and resided with him and her sister in when that coases I know not what the poor vexed question of the desirability of the Govern- issue is more rufficanism. morning at about half past five o'clock, I was going Shelley-street. While talking to her sister, who people will do The Church Missionary Bociety ment supporting such establishments, the evisensibly laid down at the meeting that the from Shek O to Hongkong. About two miles was ill in bed, the defendant came into the room has collected and sent to its agents in Peking dence this one affords of the rapid development. Synod had nothing to do with the subject; it from Shek O I met the women and the prisoner and slapped her face, and on her remonstrating about The 3,000 for distribution. Attempts of internal lands must be most satisfactory to I first mer the woman, Chan Amiu, who called he struck her, select her by the hair, and dragged have been made with this money to send all who are watching the progress of Japan me. The prisoner was standing close by. The her into an adjoining room, threw on the floor, home refugees; but only a few have been. Here is an item of interest to merchants and Every nation has its own laws; every family deceased had caught hold of the prisoner, I im. gave her several blows with his flat, and kicked found anxions to return; the majority say they traders generally. The Conka Nippo ways "the The own arent of the week which has absorbed deceased had caught hold of the prisoner I im. gave her several blows with his flat, and kicked found anxious to return; the majority say they reders generally. The Conku Nippo ways "the The one attention both his flat, and kicked found anxious to return; the majority say they made in the capital, has been afflicted with disease have made pilgrimsges to covered with blood, as well as the deceased, struck her also. The witness showed marks on to return to. A few days ago a refugee was seen Bureau of Industry of Walsons Kanis in good the marker of H. E. Okubo Toshimitoki, which Ta Koti's residence in the King country, and, foolish to attempt to interfere. Missions Chan Amin, and the child. I asked the prisoner her left temple, and further deposed that defen to dig a hole in a most public spot and throw in demand, and a large quantity has been ordered took place about helf-past eight on Tuesday strange to say, have come back cured. It is very will be most successful wherever they come what he had cut those people for, he said "that least into conflict with local customs and woman owes me ten taels." I said " for ten taels. why should you cut the women in that way ?" Indits. It is most unwise to seek to inter- He did not say anything more. The chopper of the complainant. In answer to a question by fore with the social economy of any people, produced I say upon the ground near the prisoner to the Shauki and more especially with so conservative a way and control of the complainant. In answer to a question by power of life and death seems absolutely vested buried in the Jakonsiji, Kageshina, were recomplainant. In answer to a question by power of life and death seems absolutely vested buried in the Jakonsiji, Kageshina, were recomplainant. In answer to a question by power of life and death seems absolutely vested buried in the Jakonsiji, Kageshina, were recomplainant. In answer to a question by power of life and death seems absolutely vested buried in the Jakonsiji, Kageshina, were recomplainant. In answer to a question by power of life and death seems absolutely vested buried in the Jakonsiji, Kageshina, were recomplainent. In answer to a question by power of life and death seems absolutely vested buried in the Jakonsiji, Kageshina, were recomplainent. In answer to a question by power of life and death seems absolutely vested buried in the Jakonsiji, Kageshina, were recomplainent. In answer to a question by power of life and death seems absolutely vested buried in the Jakonsiji, Kageshina, were recomplained in the Jakonsiji, Kages doubt when the Chinese will see the agregions of the chinese will see the agregions apprinted at the complainant by the chinese of large growds but some to come as quickly as possible and the prisoner, down, and the prisoner apprint prisoner at the prisoner apprint prisoner at the prisoner apprint prisoner at the prisoner at and robbing them of all grace of movement, came to hospital at one o'clock on Wednesday, mother, the last witness, did not tell him to get valent, and has had numerous victime, but the least together, and though much care was exer, was attacked. There are two reacts to the palace; The deceased's left arm had a gash five inches a knife.

violence of the disease seems to be abating. The cised by the police, some of the speciators were from the late Hinister's residence offs of them, long going down to the bone, and the bone in Defendant said that on going into the house dust storms, though very unpleasant, propably burt. Many were crying in front of the tombs, which he unfortunately took, being a very lenely. but to convince them of the fact is not a work that the missionaries can with profit under.

The "Commercial Intelligence" of this day to the bone. There was a wound on the side of head with a slipper. He then pushed her, and the neck, just behind the left ear, going round she fell down. Her sister and herself then to the front to the right side, about six inches abused him, fore his clothes, shoved him out of long and two inches deep Another wound about the house, and caught him by the threat and three inches long wason the front of the neck, partly knooked his head on the ground (showed marks severing the windripe. A wound on the centre on thmat) of the neck, between the collar bone, was one George Taufer said he had known defendant o quarter long and going through the find security in \$25 to keep the peace for six one. The prisoner had a small gash on the months. right side of the forehead, skin deep. All of those wounds might have been caused by the

morning she died. Some blood is upon the chop- wounded woman his Worship remanded the case per produced, which I have examined. Ohan Amin said -I am a widow living at was fifty-two years of age. I have known the prisoner for about one year. He sometimes lived with me. I have lived in Shek O all my life, and the prisoner for twenty ok. Since my busband's death the prisoner has been cohabiting with me. About four months back the prisoner asked me to go to his house and live with him. I refused that offer. On the 28th instant the deceased visited me. She asked distance away I saw the prisoner coming up, and he asked mo where I was going and to , reports having passed a steamer, on the the money that he had given me from time commenced an attack upon her. I then went up to him, and he immediately out me. I was then

was so weak. The man then went to Shok O instant. A number of shops and private dwellfor assistance. About half an hour after the ings, chiefly of the poorer class, were destroyed The band of the 74th Highlanders will perform first witness came to me. I told him what had but we are glad to hear that there was less locting. Amoo then came back and assisted to take de-

ieber ceased and myself in a boat to Shau-ki Wan. By the Coroner -I did not tell the prisoner where I was going when he asked me. I only is expected that her pargo will be placed on the nominations of missionaries appointed a comsaid that I had no money. I picked up the London market before the Hankow tons, which chopper from where I had thrown it. No person as a rule, are the first to arrive home. knew that the prisoner was in the habit of com- . We hear of a rather serious outbreak in the ing to my house at nights. My eldest son, who | neighbourhood of Round Island, outside Sharp is ten years old knew of it. The prisoner was Peak. Particulars as to the origin of the dis not at my house the night previous to the mur- turbance are wanting, but we understand that

The prisoner, after being duly cautioned not investigate the affair.

to say anything that might oriminate himself. come, and I went to the Shau-ki Wan station, sveided The last witness is a very bad woman.

By a juror I accidentally atrack the child: It's head got in the way. At this stage the inquest was adjourned until Monday next at four o'clock p.mt.

> POLICE COURT. 30th May.

BEFORE THE HON, CHARLES MAY,

Andrew Devor, a seaman, was charged by Lee Asan chair coolie to the Roy. J. Henderson, with ass ulting him at the Sailer's Home that The complainant's face was much bruised

The prisoner said he struck complainant in His Worship fined the prisoner 32: in default seven dova imprisonment.

Hugh Collett, a seaman, unemployed, was

charged by Inspector Mackie with being drunk and incapable. Fined fifty cents: in default. one day's imprisonment. Joseph Alexander Williamson, a seaman, was charged by P.C. 40 with being drunk and incapable.—Fined 31: in default, three days' im-

The Ai, alias Loung Sau, was charged by Tsa Asam, master of a barber's shop, No. 71, Firststreet, Sey-ing-poon, with stealing some articles of elothing from his house. A previous conviction for larceny was proved against the prisoner, and he was now sentenced

to four month's imprisonment with hard labour.

THE TABLES TURNED.

Pany Al, a hawker of caken, was charged by Sikh constable 569, with calling out his warse. P.C. 569 said that that morning the prisoner was selling cakes from a basket, on the Prava Central. He called out several times. ness warned him not to do so, but he insisted in calling out. Witness then took him into custody. On the way to the station the prisoner tripped and the basket was upset, damaging the cakes, which were the same as those produced. The prisoner, who is very deaf, said the constable kicked over the basket. He could not understand what the constable said as he was deaf Inspector Mackie produced a note from Mr. Levysohn, stating that the constable treated the old man in a disgraceful manner, and that when

the prisoner was asked for his licence he produced His Worship discharged the defendant, and severely consured the constable for his conduct. and ordered him to pay fifty cents for damages

Ching Ashin, a fisherman, was charged by Inpector Swanston, with the wilful murder of a Chinese female, named Chan Ngau Min, at the village of Shicko on the morning of the 29th instant; and also with cutting and wounding a

female named Chan Amin and her son aged three The case was formerly remanded until the 3rd

proximo, pending the termination of the inquest. BEFORE C. V. CREAGH. ESC.

MACRIMONIAL BLIES. her on the 25th instant threatened to summon him.

and a half inches long, skin deep. The edges of and his wife for eight years. On Saturday last all these wounds were ragged and torn and ap- he was outside his door when he heard a noise peared to have been done by a dull edged instru-ment. The chopper produced is a likely instru-ment to have caused all these wounds. Death force Shortly, afterwards he saw defendant was caused from the wound in the neck. Chan come out of his house with his clothes torn. He Amin had a cut on the right side of the head abused the complainant and Mrs. McBosn, and one inch in length, and another close behind the they abused him. Defendant said that he could right ear about one and a half inch long and not return to his house, so witness gave him half an inch deep. The child had a wound bed and some clothes to put on on the back of the head one meh and The defendant was fined \$1 and ordered to

WILPUR MURDER Chu Achung, a rice pounder, was brought n same instrument, as they were all of the same on remand, charged by Inspector Corcoran with out very serious. After the wounds of the de- Akwan, in Tank-lane, on the night of the 15th ceased had been sewn up she spoke and said instant, and cutting and younding a Chinese that she was feeling better. That was at five female named Chung Ayam, wife of the deceased o'clock in the afternoon. At six o'clock this After hearing a part of the evidence of the

> LATEST TELEGRAMS HEUTER'S TELEGRAMS

until to-day (Priday) at eleven o'clook.

Supplied to THE "DAILY PRESS," BY ROZEPHEN BOUTE.

THE STATION IN EUROPE. LONDON, 28th May. The Loudon papers are sanguine of peace. The report that the European Congress wil meet on June 11th has been substantially con-Prince Bismarck will preside, and the

The Naval preparations at Chatham are being

THE WAR IN SOUTH APRICA. There has been sharp and continuous fighting at the Cape, resulting in the success of our treeps FOOCHOW.

There was another large fire in the western

The steamship Glenfinlas, with the first direct shipments of new season's tea left this port for London on the formson of the 20th instant. It

he native authorities have despatched a gurbout By the prisoner I never did run away with and a small military force to the spot, and that

The United States Consul at this port has, we said-I am a fisherman. I have been living with hear, lately received from the high provincial the last witness for a year. I have given her a officials a sum of \$500, 200 of which is for disquantity of money, as she promised to live with tribution to the Medical Missionary Hospital for not to interfore with the work on the New me altogether. The deceased always tried to Women under the direction of Miss Trask, M.D.; persuade the last witness to leave me. Festerday and \$300 for the General Hospital under the morning I heard that she was going to run away control of Dr. Osgood. These liberal donations with her sister. I ran after her with the chopper, are, we understand, from the private purses of and asked her where she was going. I said to and other prominent officials, all of whom, we last witness. " Now, if you are going away, you believe, profess to take a lively interest in foreign must give me back some money." The last hospital work. It must doubtless be gratifying witness had a grass-hook with her. She then to the medical directors of these institutions to gave me a cut upon my head. I fell down, flud their good work recognised by the native partly insensible; when I recovered I took out officials, but we should all be better pleased if the to me and I mave her two cuts upon the however slight, to onforce certain urgent sanitary neck. The deceased and last witness struck me precautions-by the aid of which, much of the on the head with a stone. I saw the Portuguese prevailing sickness and misery might perhaps be

It may not be generally known that the Can tonese element in the population of this port is a source of constant anxiety and approvance to the indigenous native community. We must not be understood to refer to the upper crust of comprodorio aristocracy, who, like the knights of old, when they plunder do it in gentlemanly style; silken-robed dandies who, for a triffing monthly countries after years of study on the continent of Bosphorus were in their hands. The Ron- and to protect the trading community against stayond and unlimited "chances," or perquistes, condescend to perform certain menial offices for the "outer barbarian"; and whose special priviloge it seems to be to perfume the evening air with the odour of choice Manilas or Havannaha -which in many cases are, it is much to be fcorod, annexed luxuries. To find the true Canton rowdy, we must glance a step lower in the cocial scale, and begin with the small storekeeping class. There is good reason to believe that certain members of this fraternity are receivers of stolen goods—chiefly wines, beer, and foreign household stores generally. On any other ground it would be difficult to account for the number (out of all proportion to the consuming nowar of the foreign community) of these small shops de voted to the sale of foreign stores-of a kind too which it must be borne in mind are not generally in demand by natives. Attached to these shops there are in many instances a number of unemployed men and lads, and outside this circle again there are a still greater number and variety of ersons without occupation or visible means of subsistence. All these people are more or less under the control of the Canton Guild-s sort of imperium in imperio—the directors of which body soom over ready to raise a howl of indignation should any privileged Kwangtungite forget the difference between mine and thins. A recent case of piracy and murder near Matson in native circles, and, if the story we have heard be correct, is a fair illustration of our subject. A party of armed Canton men recently | Daimio of Kaga and taken over by the Govern- pieces by a war with England, and then she will surprised and captured a fishing boat outside Sitzen Poak, after having, it is alleged, murdered the grow. This band of worthies then proceeded to further nots of violence, causing quite a scare amongst the poor fishermen. But, slas ! while danning the capture of a pilot-boat under Matson, they were becalmed, and while in this extremity were attacked by theenraged fishermen and killed. This was, perhaps, only even-handed justice and in self defence we cannot see that any other course was open to these injured men especially in view of the fact that the authorities little or nothing in the way of protecting either their lives or their property. However the Cantonesa elders are now, we hear, in arms, and loudly demand satisfaction for the murder of assured be easily proved. It however remains to be seen whether Cantonese ruffianism is to be

PEKING.

YOKOHAMA A serious riot is reported in the Nichi Nichi Shimbun, us having occurred on the let and 2nd

instant, at Kagoshima. Some three thousand camurat who had assembled to receive their pensions, orgated grievous disturbance with the local civil officials. The police were called out No lives appear to have been lost. It asoms that the Government are somewhat alarmed, for their remaining members, by the assassination of Okube, and are juclined to

as regards the press, measures which can only be explained by a supposition of panis. The Caoyo Shimbur, for publishing that letter to which we alluded and which we summarized yesterday, headed "Zan-kan-je" or "killing of trencherom ynasule," has been ordered to suspend its publieation. The conductors of Japanese journals in Tokio and Yokchama have all been summoned to the Police Offices, and there warned to be careful how they give publicity to anything tending to disturb the peace of the country. The residences Anticipations of the probable quantity and quality of the newcoming erop of silk are being

upon the basis of an eminently favourable season. The rainfall has exceeded the average of April and May, but as hall and frosts have been absent, the worms are said to be in very forward condition, and in some districts to be within ton days of spinning. In Joshiu and Mybashi appearances are not so forward, while in Sinshin the lingering cold has tended to keep back the worms and delay the erop of that favourite silk. The total export to date for the current season is 21:150 bales, and there is little doubt that, if purchasers were at all anxious to operate, 1,000 bales mora could be shipped, and so send up the export to the largest figure yo reached in Japan. The circumstances surround ing the promished prop-of the season 1878-79 are such as to indicate a very full supply if the prices offer sufficient inducement to producers to bring sik. Rown; and in any case there is no reason to expect a less quantity than the expert of the season now closing. -Japan Gazette: Inonye Kaoru has been recalled from London by a telographic message sent him by Their Marquis of Salisbury, Count Schouvaloff, and Excellencies Ito and Kuroda on the 15th instant On the same day a telegram was forwarded to His Excellency Yamao, Vice-Minister of Public Works, advising him to desist from his journey. of inspection to Kamaishi and Ani, and return

at once to the capital. the Imperial Telegraph Department after the model of one obtained from the United States. which is perfect in all respects, and in no way inferior to the instrument obtained from abroad -Japan Mail

Subscriptions to the new national loan are ffered in abundance. The Mitsui and First National Banks take bonds for Yen 500,000 each and Mr. Shibusawa, director of the latter, lends You 130,000. Certain of the nobles have already come forward with unwards of one million. It is expected that the whole amount will speedily

In 1872 a convention representing several demittee to translate the New Testament, and this work, under the active labours of Drs. Hopburn Brown, and Rev. D. C. Green has progressed rapidly towards completion. On the 10th inst. a similar conference began, comprehending all Protestant sects now represented in Japan, and provision was made for the systematic translation of the Old Testament, Delegates were an official of superior rank has been instructed to present from all parts of the empire and considerable interest was manifested. The sessions of the convention were presided over by Rev. Dr. Maolay of Yokohama, Rev. D. C. Green filling the position of secretary. It was decided Testament already in progress, but to refer the labour on the Old Testament to a central committee chosen by and representing the various missions. -Coincidently with this convention, an international conference was held by the English and American Episcopal missionaries. at which an understanding was reached on common prayer-book for use by both divisions The American gentleman who has had the

general educational supervision of the young Japauese girls studying in New Haven, writes concerning them as follows :- 'They are excellent scholars and are great favorites in the schools and families in which they are placed. On their return they will be well fitted to teach in a normal school or other institution of high grade. To revive their knowledge of their own language they have had special exercise under an intelbooks. But on their return to Japan their native language will-quickly come back to them." We

fear that in this last opinion, Dr. Northrop is too hopeful. He instances the experience of English and American youths on returning to their native which they would not require to do if the Europe. But the cases are not parallel. There manica army occupies strong and menacing any needless repetition of the shock which the are no such differences in language or habits of positions and will certainly turn on the Russians credit of the colony undoubtedly sustained by the west and the sast. We believe that no single instance has occurred of a Tapenese returning home with the same knowledge of his own tongue as that which he possessed on leaving. For this reason it may be doubted if the "special exercise" alluded to can be of great value, inasmuch as all Japanese in America gradually become deficient in the niceties and delicacies of their antive speech. There are still more anxious considerations than that of language, so far as these young girls are concerned. A man may always rendant himself with little difficult to the conditions of his former life, but for girls who have been transferred at a tender age, and who return in full growth and mental development, the hardships must be incalculable. We cannot conceive, indeed, of a more painful prospect than that which awaits these young women, at least for some years after their return and perhaps for the whole of their lives. It may be that their trials will insure to the benefit of their country. but it must inevitably be at the sacrifice of their own comfort, feelings, and possibly their profoundest convictions .- Tokio Times

The Government Engineering Works at Shin. din is a very extensive, enterprising, and prospe- Russia do? She will be entirely isolated. Bhe is rous undertaking. It was formed by combining already greatly damaged by her conflict with Turthe Kapa Foundry started in 1869 by the key-and how matters may she will be knocked to ment in the beginning of 1872, with the Vulcan Iron Works, started under the auspices of the and Greece on her flanks. Her case seems hope-China and Japan Trading Company, but bought less. A special correspondent of The Time by the Government also in 1872. The foreign affirms on the highest authority that the Czar's staff at present numbers four, with Mr. Heisens present military expenditure amounts to seven chief engineer, and the works give employment millions of francs per day or about a hundred to about 920 skilled mechanics, exclusive of or- millions sterling per annum. I think this must dinary coolies, and the orders in hand are so ex- mean the entire expenditure of the treasury, but tenuive that it is found necessary to keep the even so it can't last very long, and this no doubt works open till 10 p.m. The Inland Sea traffic is why our Government is acting with such must be in process of extraordinary development; if we mak gauge it by the demand at present existing for suitable vessels. One small steamer allowed to go on unchecked in deference to the unreasonable clamour of a clique. Foochow.

dant had often beaten her and that she had often his little girl about 3 years old, then heap earth by the Chinese Government."—On the night of morning the 14th instant. This was the day little use to tell a native that the soreover i threatened to summon him.

upon, her until her straggling arms and legs the 25th April the bodies of Saigo, Kirino, appointed for the distribution of decorations to practising on the oredulity and superstition of Candida McDenn corroborated the evidence were covered. No Chinaman interfered, for the Murata, Ikagami, and Kaisura, which had been officers of the Army and Navy who had been the people, when he can point to undoubted cages years of age, stated that he heard complainant glad to adopt such children. Efforts have been buried to the same place as the of Okubo for just before leaving his house, he scoundfels of his race to the massacre of Eng-

HOME AND CHINA AFFAIRS.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT: LONDON, April 18th. Parliament rose yesterday for the Easter hold days, four weeks being usnigned to the Lords and three to the Commons. In both Houses; especially in the Commons, Government gave strong asserances of their intention to maintain peace if possible, and in fact the Chancellor of the Exchequer stated their grounds to hope of success. It corment together so soon and getting every. thing required out of it on the nies of entreme decide upon our future action. The first result retained his uniform) meanwhile advan

had been ordered thence to Multa. to the Treaty of Paris dated 1856; she was also a given by an official notification as Shimala. party to the Protocol of London dated 1871 Sugimoto, Cho Wakita and Sugimura shizaka which amongst other obligations contains this - of Ishikawa hea, in Kushin (Kaga) and Ayar a Treaty on the table of the Congress in order that | case the signatory Powers of the Treaty of Paris may A very curious circumstance signalizes this discuss the divergence between the two conven. marder. Not only did Okubo himself, two days tions. That is to say, England requires Russia hefere his disth, receive ab anonymous letter, to admit that the Protocol of London is still telling him to be on his guard, as the writer valid and binding. If Russis made the admission | meant to kill him, but when the Chaye Shimnothing would stand between her and the wall | burn's letter box was opened in the afternoon. whilst if she refuses thus to stultify herself England refuses to go to the Congress.

The general impression in Government circles | been put into the box before the murder. It gave at St. Petersburg is that the San Stefano Treaty the manes of some of the assassine, and stated A telephone has been made at the workshop of with all its subtle ramifications was a great mis- their intention to kill him that day and their take, and has given Eugland such an advantage wish that their reasons for doing so should be as to afford her the opportunity, come what may, published in all the papers. It proceeded to of making war on Bussia, which it is alleged she conmerate there, as :- lat, That Okubo despised has been eighing to do for many years past, and oppressed the people and was despotic in his There cannot be a doubt that Lord Derby and administration —2nd, that he was ambitious and Mr. Gladstone have led Russia into the fatal greedy of woulth .- 3rd, that his expenditure on mistake she has made, inasmuch as they induced public works and public buildings was wasteful: the Czar to believe that England would not make 4th, that he was the cause of civil war and onwar on the subject of the Eastern Question pro- posed patriote; and 5th, that he degraded the vided Lord Derby's neutrality conditions were mational dignity by his encouragement of and respected. That England does want to make war intercourse with foreigners. The Choya Shimis our stripping to fight.

is perfectly untrue, and every man of sense and byn immediately forwarded this to the police candour must admit that the only hope of peace but, for publishing it, the paper has been suson mediating between the contending parties, somers when they were searched; and we confe s Prince Bismarck himself has taken the matter into correlyes unable to see either the justice or the his own hands and he is using every endeavour to I window of stonoing the Choya. persuade Russia to withdraw her troops from the It is a significant and characteristic fact that neighbourhood of Constantinople and our Go. public business was not allowed to be suspended vernment to withdraw its fleet from the Sea of in the least by the murder. The decorations Marmora. In that region matters are on the were duly bestowed upon the officers; and I to at hair-trigger. The Russians in battle array are once received the apportent of Minister of the close upon the Turkish defences, whilst the Turks. Interior and discharged he duties of the office encouraged by the determined position assumed the very same day. by England, have plucked up courage and are The murdered statesmon was honoured by his displaying great energy in their preparations for Sovereign immediately creating him Udaijin, the resisting a further advance. With our fleet to same posthumous honour which was paid to Kido, support the Turks it seems that Eussian efforts and a sum of 5,000 yen was sent to his family would be in vain, and this morning we hear that be was further honoured by a public funeral. the Russians have fallen back a little and that the Grand Duke Nicholas, the convenient and willing tool of aggression, has been rocalled to St. Petersburg. Near Gallipoli six of our ironslads are engaged in watching the Russians at close quarters, whilst assistance has been given to the Turks in raising new antronchments in the tenr of which our naval authorities have landed a large quantity of stores which they have placed marines to guard. In short, I should say that the chance which the Russians had o seising the Bosphorus forta has gone. The Sultan himself seems to have been easily duned and bullied by the Grand Dake Nicholas, but his Cabinet proved less pliable, and being backed by the army the luxury of being duped could no longer be indulged in by the Sultan. Still the Russians are sending on reinforcements, with shown a profit commensurate with the amount of immense quantities of stores, including torpedoes. They must have given up the Bosphorus idea, for they have actually occupied Roumania for the purpose of securing their communications

if driven to desperation. Nothing can more for- revolutionary acts which followed upon the colcibly exemplify the haughty periody, the unsern- lision between the Legislative Council and the pulous imperiousness, the infatuated pride of Assembly. Mr. David Moore was appointed the Russia, than the Char's treatment of Roumania. new president. nothing can account for it but jealousy of Roumanian prowess at Plevna. A few sweet words and a little gentle handling would have made Roumania friendly and obliging, but the clumsy treatment of Nicholas has eventuated in turning the regions of his communications from friendly allies into bitter enemies. I think it likely that Prince Bismarck will

succeed in persuading Russia and England to withdraw their respective forces from the immediate neighbourhood of Constantinople. Should the Rossians withdraw, our fleet will have lost its occupation, and there can be no use in the Russians remaining, if, as seems very clear they cannot acquire the Bosphorus forts. The great Chancellor's success in this first sten will give Europe a little breathing time. He has declared to Russia his thorough conviction that England is "in grim cornest" and that the San Stefano Treaty is perfectly untenable. His idea is to call a Congress of the Powers to reconsider the Paris Treaty in accordance with the London Protocol, but the trouble is that Russia cannot acquiesce without admitting the San Stefano Treaty to be pull and void. Still, what can have to face Austria with Turkey, Roumania,

There is no doubt a strong war feeling amongs was launched only a few weeks ago: about seventy- whom against England must be intense. W five per cent: of the wood work of the old Count are the only Power that has stood between he more has just been renewed and she is nearly and the attainment of those aspirations in which ready for sea; the Hosho-maru (the Filipina) has she has inculped for generations, and when she has new boilers put into her; on the stocks there finds herself baulked of the prize she had squanis a three-masted schooner about 120 feet long | dered so much gold and blood to win just as it and a new paddle steamer of about 200 tons was within her very grasp-when the finds her burden, specially built to attain a speed of over position as a victor rendered untenable and untwelve knots on a draught of six feet. The en. safe by her perfidious unscrupplousness, she gines for a boat of about 120 tons are nearly com- | must naturally harbour the deepest animosity; pleted and have been entirely made on the spot, and resentment. Should war ensue our Governas will also be the engines for the powerful boat ment will be wise in time if they continue it above mentioned, as well as for three more until Russia is grashed utterly. A " patriotic Since I last wrote we have had 3 or 4 inches steamers one paddle and two screw of about society at Moscow has been organized to equip for the Colonies, that New Zealand will underof rain and are unxiously expecting the balance 100 tons each, which will be immediately laid privateers to harass British commerce. The take the expenses of the armament proposed in of a foot. The temperature has been very various. down to order. In addition to the above, orders | Czarewitch was invited to be president and on the Secretary's telegram for the defence of the A month ago the thermometer was up to 90 deg. are on hand for two sailing vessels, so that at a receiving the gracious assent of the Caar so colony. in the shade, at which point it is standing at pre- rough estimate there is work enough on hand, cepted the office. It seems to me a strange prosent, but in the interval it was as low as 60 deg. with the present staff, for the next three years, cooding and undignified to book. What would be book what would be book to book what would be book to book the present staff, for the next three years, cooding and undignified to book. John Keller, described as an assistant at the sematimes. Dust storms have been very frequent, and the concern must be paying well. Although Lord Derby and Mr. Gladstone say if the Prince Sailors' Home, was summoned by his wife, and one such as is blowing to-day obliterates in a Government establishment, the management of Wales with the assent of the Queen were to Arjanes, on the body of Chan Ngan Min. a Belmira Keller, for an assault committed upon a few hours all appearance of moisture on the lays itself out especially for the execution of accord such an office even after a declaration of surface of the ground. Feking is still thronged private contracts, which it is understood all the war? To do so while every effort is being made complainant said she was the wife of the de- with refugees who exist on imperial bounty, and above-mentioned are. Without going into the to attain a peaceful solution of the questions at

> THE ASSASSINATION OF OKUBO TOSHIMITCHI.

of students, who were apparently playing in the road, one chasing the other and affecting to mylke at him with a branch of a flowering tro-Immediately that the carriage had passed the man threw down the flowers and fired a pictol. at which signal three men, with the upper part of their dress removed, sprang out from the long gress which bordered the road and from a little wooden shed. One, armed with a long sword, struck one of the horses on the forelage, and, on its plunging forward, struck it sgain on tainly seems rather odd, after calling Parlie the neck and brought it to the ground. The machman oried for help and was on the point of descending from his box and attempting to emergency, that it should be gent on such long escape; when he was out down by a blow which holidays upon the faith of such pasific assurances. divided his body from shoulder to waist. Another Yet the motion raised in the Commons for a servant, a runting footman, had meanwhile fled curtailment of the adjournment attracted only blong the road shouting for sid. A fourth of ten votes, so that we have an undivided Ministry the band, dressed as a policeman (he had been with unrestricted power for a period sufficient to dismissed, it appears, from the force, but had is a telegram from Calcutta received this morning to the carriage door and opened it, offering to the effect that coven the main native troops, protest the Minister. Okube descended, and w Immediately struck on the head by the man with The process position of affairs appears to be the long sword. The two seeming students and this Russis insists, that in furnishing each | the others, armed with dirks, then crowded round power with a copy of the Treaty of San Stefano the fallen man and out and stabled him till life. she gives each Power the right to discuss it as was extinct. He received two wounds on the they would any other question before the confer bend or face one in the stomach, two on the ence, but that she insists on the same privilege as right leg, and the fingers of one hand were cut the other Powers claim of withdrawing at any by his attempting to grave one of the blades. stage of the proceedings she may please. On this The assessing them threw down their wesnons. dictum Prince Gortschukoff continues to harp; resumed and gainsted their drosses, and quietly pretending to ignore the position taken up by our | walked on to the palace gate. where they gave Government, which is this -Russia was a party | themselves into custody. Their names are

that no Power being a party to the Treaty of shizoku of Shimano kon, near Kobe. They are Paris shall have authority to vary or annul any all young men, the oldest being only 20, the clause therein without the consent of the other youngest a boy of 18. From the palsen they contracting Powers. Our Government therefore were taken to the central police station, whither require that Russis should lay the San Stefane they went laughing, and exulting in their suc-

document was found headed. The story of a trais tor's punishment, which had in all or bability pended. The document appears to have been Germany, as I have before announced, is bent germine, as comies of it were found on the pri-

THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL

From Australian files brought by the E and A. M. steamer Brisbune, Captain Reddoll which arrived yesterday morning, we take

VICTORIA. MELBOURNE, April 30th. At the annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce this afternoon. Mr. Siddeloy, the retiring president delivered an address, in the course of which he said that the results which had been obtained by our mercantile community have not capital and energy which is engaged in the general trade of the colony. He trusted that combined and determined efforts would be made to prevent the possibility of any recurrence of the political experiences of the last four months

A few individuals met at the Reform Club last night and resolved that New Guinoa should be annexed as a territorial dependency to Victoria. and decided on the formation of an association

for colonization. The Argus ridicules the New Guinea expedi tion, as proposed at the Reform Club meeting. The leading Chinese merchants are raising subscriptions for the sufferers by the famine in

Dr. Youl, the City Coroner, is to be rear in the principal localities.

transfer under the American flar:

OUBENSLAND.

BRISBANE, April 29th. At a largely attended meeting of the National Association of Queensland held to-day, a resolution in favour of the removal of the prohibition on the importation of stock was carried by a small majority, and the question was argued on both sides, and probably another meeting will be held to hear a paper against the removal of the

duced the Additional Representation Bill, which was read a first time, the second reading being fixed for next Tuesday. He explained the nature of the bill, the basis being the mean adult male population with certain double electorates. The number of seats is raised to 55 for 40 electorates. A meeting was held at Cooktown to night, to

In the Assembly to-day, Mr. Douglas intro-

petition the Government to take off the taxes on the Chinese and pass a bill prohibiting them from working on new gold fields for three years. Replying to a deputation from the National. Association, the Governor personally and the Government cordially granted the utmost recognition and support to the Queensland International Exhibition to be held in August, 1880. NEW ZEALAND. WRLLINGTON, May 1st.

A sharp shock of earthquake was felt here at o'clock this evening.

Sir George Grey has requested his Excellency

WAIRATO, May 6th. Waikato to meet Ministers. Bir George Gray was antertained at a languat at To Awamota. The King sent two more invitations for a meeting; but owing to the difficulty of obtaining sufficient food for the natives who will assemble to meet the Premier and Native Minister, the meeting has been postpened until April 80th. The rebel Te Kecti has assumed a new char-

seter that of miracle-worker and healer of maledied. For many months past the Maorie from

> THE NEW HEBRIDES. VIA NEW ZEALASD. WELDERTON April 27th

Hebrides. Houses were demolished sheets of iron carried a distance of half a mile, trees up-The natives are starving.

EUROPEAN ITEMS. LONDON, April 26th.

The dispatch to the Beltid of a British squadron, consisting of twenty ironolads, is projected. St. Petresnum, April 26th. The Russian Ministerial journals state that the great Powers have now agreed to a direct exchange of views on the present situation, prior to a decision being arrived at as to a European Congress.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 26th.
The Bonmelian insurgents are driving the Bulgarians before thom, and are approaching Phillipopolis. Great alarm is felt at Adrianople whence troops have been dispatched against the insurgents. The insurgents are well officers Poles being the leaders of the insurrection.

Liondon, April 27th. The British Government have announced that, as a measure of protection against the threatened fitting out of Russian privateers, they are prepared to employ 100 fast armed vessels, and will trest privateers as pirates. The Standard reports that a party of Russian officers and engineers have chartered four American steamers to proceed to Egypt on a surveying

expedition. LONDON, April 28th. The German official press auggests objections to the dispatch of a British ironclad squadron to the Baltic.

BERLIN, April 29th The Nord Deutsche Gasette published here. commenting upon the reported intention of the British Government to sent an ironolad squadron to the Baltio, says that such a measure would affect neutral interests, and would tend to complicate the present situation

The Rev. W. Maelagan, M.A., Oxon, Vicar of St. Mary's Parish Church, Kensington, has been appointed to the see of Lichfield vacant by the death of Bishop Selwyn. It is reported that the British Government

intend sending an ironolad squadron to the The barque Cleopatra which left London for Melbourne, February 15th, was stranded on March 22nd near Pernambuco. Armed natives plandered the cargo. The orew were rescued and have arrive Lat Liverpool.

His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales has visited the Victoria section of the Paris International Exhibition, and complimented the Hon. J. J. Casey, Commissioner for Victoria, on the finished state of his Court Paris, May 1st.

The Exhibition was opened to-day by the Noo, and at Marshal-President with great eclai. The open. ing ceremony was very imposing. Representatives were present from all nations and from TICTORIA DISPENSARY several of the colonies and British possessions. The attendance at the opening was very great, but the rain somewhat marred the effect.

The interior of the main building presented a grand spectacle. The Exhibition, as a whole,

surpasses that of 1876. The colonial Courts are well filled, and attract much interest. The colony best represented is Victoria, exhibiting much progress and vast resources. The show of wools is very good. His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales presented the Colonial Commissioner to Marshal MacMahon.

Paris is crowded with visitors from all parts of the world. Paris are crowded. LONDON, May 1st.

An Austrian entry into Bosuia, under an agreement with Russia, is imminent. LONDON, May 2nd. England assents to the proposal regarding Austria's cocupation. Austria, however, refuses Russia's advances, and intends to act separately.

Preston, insisted on the maintenance of existing treaties, and denied the war policy attributed to CHINA SUGAR BEFINING The Government. A large meeting has been held at Manchester, at which resolutions were adopted setting forth that the British Government is an obstacle to the maintenance of peace, and protesting against the employment of Indian troops in Europe.

SINGAPORE.

The Dutch double turret-ship Koning der is from Nieuwe Diep, via the Snez Canal, on her way to Java waters. She is a large schooner, and has twin screws, and what is seldom seen, three funnels. The Koning der Nederlanden Coffee Sugar, mark C.S.R. in diamond Bl. called on her way out at Gibraltar, Malta, Port GOLDEN STRUP, SYRUP, and MOLASSES. Said, Aden, Bomhay, and Penong, The Borneo Company's wharf presented an Rum, 45 deg., 30 deg., O.P., and NAVAL.

unusually lively appearance on the 19th instant Animal Charcoal and Dust. from the large number of people who had as Ammoniacal Liquon, from Bones. sembled there to witness the embarkation and Bone Tan (A Preventive of White Auts). take farewell of His Highness the Maharajah of Rough BONE TALLOW. Johore. A deputation of boys from Teluk Blangab School, headed by flags and banners, arrived at four o'clock and was posted at the east end of the wharf, while in the goods godown was stationed the band under the directorship of Mr. Galistein. At 4.30 p.m. His Highness, accompanied by his suite, arrived, and the Band aunounced the event by playing the Johore national anthem. After shaking hands with the Chinese gambier and pepper planters of Johore and his other personal friends, His Highness walked to where the school boys were stationed and was loudly cheored by them. He expressed to the boys his great satisfaction at their regular attendance at school, and hoped, on his return to Singapore from Europa, that they will have made good progress in their studies. Here His Highness took a last farewell of his friends and then went on board the M. M. mail steamer Iracuaddy, which left for Marseilles at daylight on the 20th inst. The suite of His DAVID CORSAR & SONS' Highness, consists of his brother, Mr. T. R. Ker, English Scores my, Inchay Ibrahim, Malay. Sepretary, and a Malay cook and servant .- Singapore Timese

THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

Some few are doing well on Wahib's new rush. Willism Slater having obtained in a short time 200 oz. of gold from seventeen loads of wash-dirt, Tin ore has been found in quantity in close proximity to the granite crossing, and said to contain from 75 to 80 per cent. of tin.

There are some industrious Chinamen in Palmerston who find that there are other industries more profitable than looking after gold. Some four or five are constantly engaged in fishing. and for some time past we have been able to supply our tables with a variety. The price charged is certainly too high, viz., is, per lb., but with a little more competition we should obtain it for

half the price. Welearn that Messrs. Wingfield and Robinson have taken Croker Island, about ten miles east of Port Essington, containing about eighty thousand scres. The land is described as being well watered and fertile. Surely this is a nice little property. As we said last week, those who some and look for themselves will get the best of the country—just imagine three guiness per annum rental for such a block—this is inducement enough we should think to bring settlers in hundreds. The climate is cool and retreshing, and the island may at some future date become the sanatoriam of the Northern Territory. With a mere handful of people we still continue to send away an amount of gold which is surprising to the diggers employed in more southern colonies, and we state as a fact, that not one half of our scanty population are engaged in the procuration of gold. The E. S. and A. C. Bank are sending down, per steamship General Pel, within a fraction of two thousand ounces; in addition a large quantity will be taken by our more prosperous diggers who are going for a trip, returning when the wet sesson is over. We notice that nearly 400,000 square miles of of all sizes and kinds for Pistols or Rifles of country has been taken up within the last four their make. or five months. We are glad to see that a party of gentlemen, accompanied by men and horses. have arrived from Sydney by the Atjeh; they will not be able to do much for a month or two, until drier weather sets in. There is no doubt each steamer will bring those who mean to stock the country. Land taken up and held for speculative purposes, will injure us as much, or more, than the old S. A. system of leasing our quarts claims. As we have said before, we look to New South Wales and Queensland to develope the Of the Best Quality and at the Shortest Notice. vast resources of our great country. Cotton, sugar, rice, tobacco, and oplum can be produced here in abundance. What is mainly wanted is a TIHE TOURIST'S GUIDE. railway into the interior, so that our rich lands REDUCED PRICE, \$1. name of all the Articles of lished. we shall have this line made we have never Trade, objects of Natural History, Furniture, It commises upwards of two thousand large W E GLADSTONE, British bark, Gallichan. Benj. Thompson, Master, having the great pordoubted. By next steamer we shall have the &c. &c. with the Punti and Mandarin Pronon quarto pages. and the looks removed by the last of the Covernment, who have "Also a lew copies of the GRAMAR OF THE

Northern Territory Times.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE: CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE

REPORTS

The French bark Aristide reports left Bang. kok on 14th May, and had fine B.W. winds and weather throughout. The British steamship Penedo reports left Bangkok on 22nd May: Prom Bangkok to Pul

port S.W. monsoon and fine weather. The British steamship Lambardy reports left Shanghai on 26th May, and had very heavy wen-ther the first part of the passage; thence light S.W. monsoon to part.

Obl fresh S.W. monsoon and rain; thence to

Tamsui on 25th May, and Amoy on the 28th. From Tamsui to Amoy light variable winds and fine weather. From Amoy to Hongkong mode. rate South Westerly winds and squally weather In Amoy the American gunboat Alert and etc.

The British steamship Brisb ne reports left

lydney on 8th May at 10 a.m.; arrived at Townsville on the 12th, and left again on the 14th : arrived at Cooktown on the loth, and left again on the 17th. Passed Booby Island on the morning of the 19th. Passed Bird Island abeam at 10 a.m. on the 22nd. Passed Banka Island at 4 p.m. on the 24th. Passed through Basilan Straits on the morning of the 26th. From Sydney to Booby Island experienced Southerly winds and hazy weather; thence to port light variable winds and fine weather. Yesterday at 10 a.m. passed a 3 masted schooner, bound for Hongkong. Sighted a steamer standing S.W. supposed to be the Loudon Castle, and German ship Gustav Maris. -

The British steamship Douglas reports left Foochow on Sunday, the 20th May. Paged the steamship Oxfordshire off Sharp Peak, and had light Southerly winds and dense fog. Anchored off Whemoy from I am on Monday morning till 5 p.m. same day, when clearing proceeded towords Amoy, and arrived at 6.15 p.m. Left Amoy on Tuesday the 28th, and had variable winds and thick weather during latter part. Left Swatow on Wednesday, the 29th, and had fresh S.W. monsoon and clear weather during the first part and squally weather during lat-ter part. Passed a Holt's steamer, bound into Alloy. Off Cupohi, passed two steamers, bound. East. In Foodbow the steamers Glenfallock. Glenroy, Benurty, Deucation, Europe, Kallarney, Holland, and ship Black Prince. In Amoy the American gunboat Alert, Chinese gunboat Feihoo, and steamer Yego. In Swatow the steamer

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